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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Fergus Rupert FITZGERALD

Serial No.: 10/686,525

Attorney Docket: P67027US1

Filed: October 16, 2003

Group Art Unit: 1714

For: COATING SYSTEM COMPRISING A DRY POWDER  
COMPOSITION DISPERSIBLE IN WATER

TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment in the above captioned application.

Small Entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

A verified Statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity Rate Addit. (or) Fee	Other Than A Small Entity Rate Addit. Fee
Total	- 20	= 0	x09 = \$	x 18 = \$
Indep.	- 3	= 0	x42 = \$	x 84 = \$
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim			x140 = \$	+280 = \$
Total Additional Fee			\$	\$

Credit Card Payment Form in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is attached for: Petition for Extension of Time

XX If a Petition for Extension of Time is necessary and the Petition and/or the check is not enclosed, this will act as the Petition and applicant herewith petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response and charge any fees necessary under 37 CFR 1.17 (a)(1)-(5) to Deposit Account No. 06-1358. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge payment of any other additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1358. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

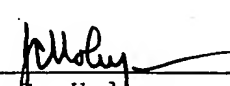
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to the examination based on the merits, please  
amend the captioned application as follows: